

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Nakano et al.
Appl. No.	:	10/533,013
Int'l Filing Date	:	April 28, 2005
For	:	NONBACTERIAL PROSTATITIS MODEL ANIMAL
Examiner	:	Noble, Marcia Stephens
Group Art Unit	:	1632

SUBMISSION WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 18, 2007, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.